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Little Tim-counterpart of thousands of helpless little children, rich and poor alike—struggling to live against the savage attacks which tuberculosis makes upon his frail little body. If we fail him—but we must not fail. He's worth saving.



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Tuberculosis Christmas  
Seals

Each penny Christmas Seal you buy provides added strength to your local tuberculosis association in the fight against this preventable and curable disease.

## THRIFT NECESSITY IN U. S. DISCUSSED

Life Insurance Men Convene.  
Longworth Foresees Reform in Tax Laws.

By the Associated Press.  
NEW YORK, December 8.—Life insurance executives from nearly every state in the Union assembled here today for the fourteenth annual convention of the association of life insurance presidents. Discussion of the necessity for nationwide application of economy and thrift in the home, in business and in government will occupy the session of the convention, which will end tomorrow. Companies having in force more than 55 per cent of the \$6,000,000,000 in insurance policies now placed on American lives are represented. Several Canadian cities also had delegates present.

In opening the convention Chairman A. Howland of Montpelier, Vt., said that the volume of life insurance in force in American companies far exceeds that in all other companies of all other countries. Substantial reduction of taxes is not possible in the near future, Representative Longworth of Ohio, a member of the House ways and means committee, which frames revenue measures, declared. "Our immediate problem," Mr. Longworth said after an analysis of the government's fiscal situation, "is the revision and modification and simplification of present law, and the substitution of fair and proper taxes for the present taxes, which, in my mind, are in many respects unfair and improper."

**Predicts Estimate Cut.**  
The speaker predicted that Congress would place in the neighborhood of a billion dollars from estimates aggregating more than four billions presented by the executive branch when Congress opened Monday. That would permit, however, he added, any general reduction in taxes, and Congress faced the task of finding new sources of revenue which could be substituted for existing taxes which should be abandoned or modified.

Customs receipts, Mr. Longworth said, were too low, but despite a firm conviction of the soundness of a protective tariff policy, he added, that he did not consider that a general tariff revision to increase duties could be undertaken in the present disturbed state of the world. It would be impossible to get reliable figures as to relative costs of production at home and abroad on which to found such legislation, he said.

The excess profits tax was described by the speaker as "essentially a tax on brains and ability and efficiency of management," which ought to be repealed. Suggestions that corporations might distribute all their earnings to avoid the tax could not be realized in many cases, the speaker said. He pointed out that distribution of such profits to stockholders, who were very rich men, might subject them to as high as a 50 per cent income super-tax, which he thought would curb any tendency to avoid the smaller levy.

**MORE SPACE ADVISED FOR PUBLIC PRINTERY**  
Cornelius Ford in Annual Report, Also Asks More Pay for Employees.

Explaining that it is necessary to have more space and equipment to properly handle the work of the government printing office, Cornelius Ford, public printer, in his annual report for the year ended June 30 last recommended some action by Congress for the construction of a new building on the site of the old one at North Capitol and H streets and an addition farther west on H street.

Mr. Ford also calls Congress' attention to the fact that there is a pressing need for increasing the compensation of both the legislative and executive forces of the office if the efficiency of the office is to be maintained. Regarding such increases, he said in his report: "For the past two or three years only by extraordinary effort has it been possible to obtain relief from Congress. I have been able to retain sufficient efficient employees on the legislative rolls to take care of the ever-increasing demands of Congress, the departments and the general public."

The higher rate of pay obtained in commercial plants as compared with the salaries and wages paid for similar work in the government printing office is now a serious drawback to the office.

Discussing the amount of work turned out during the year, Mr. Ford said that the total number of publications was 63,645,789, an increase of about 2,000,000 over the preceding year. Letters of inquiry and orders from the general public totaled 321,818, an increase of 56,000, and the number of publications sold was 5,495,476, an increase of 1,153,818. The office maintained 1,153 mailing lists totaling upward of 1,666,000 names.

**WOOL PRODUCERS ASK EXCHANGE PROTECTION**  
Protection of American wool producers from injurious competition by exchange conditions was asked today by Franklin W. Hobbs, Boston, president of the American Woolen Mills, at the opening of the House ways and means committee hearing on wool imports.

Mr. Hobbs said that in 1914, when the Underwood-Simmons tariff law was passed, "all nations were on a gold basis." He added, "all nations, with the exception of the United States and Japan, are on a paper basis and some are on a printing press basis."

Immediate action was imperative, Mr. Hobbs said, to protect American industries from destruction. In making any tariff bill for protection of American producers and to prevent the dumping of foreign goods into American markets, he continued, "the current rate of exchange of the various countries will have to be considered."

## EX-KING'S LUGGAGE WAITS ON GREECE

Official Vote in Plebiscite Fails to Reach Constantine.

By the Associated Press.  
ATHENS, December 8.—No official note has yet been sent to former King Constantine in Lucerne, notifying him that the people of Greece in the plebiscite of Sunday last voted for his return.

Thirty of the thirty-six departments of Greece gave 386,823 votes in favor of Constantine, with 9,444 against his recall. There were 200,000 more votes cast than in the elections of November 14 last.

Prince Nicholas, brother of Constantine, arrived in Athens tonight and immediately summoned the cabinet ministers and the other princes and princesses to his palace, where he gave them a communication from Constantine. The message was not made public.

The opening of parliament has definitely been set for January 5 next. The American dollar was quoted at an average of 15 drachmas today.

**Constantine Stands Firm.**  
LUCERNE, Switzerland, December 8 (by the Associated Press).—Former King Constantine will not relinquish his claim to the Greek throne in favor of his son, George. It was declared today by Prof. Georgios Streit, close adviser of Constantine, who said that the Greek people want Constantine so badly that his abdication probably would cause a revolution in Greece.

Prof. Streit added: "Prince George at present is in Bukarest with his fiancée and will not sail from Constantinople until after Christmas. He is en route and enters Athens with his father, George, either meeting the party at Brindisi or being transferred aboard Constantine's ship on the high seas."

Constantine's party will board the transatlantic liner Patria at Brindisi, ready Saturday.

**Ready to Depart.**  
Preparations for Constantine's departure for Athens are going on regardless of the uncertainty as to the result of his leaving Lucerne and the lack of an official invitation from Athens. The corridors leading to his hotel suite are piled high with trunks and boxes ready to be taken to the railway station.

Constantine remained in Lucerne throughout today conferring with Prof. Streit, following the receipt of a telegram from Premier Rallis telling of the result of last Sunday's plebiscite and the state of public opinion in Greece concerning Constantine's return.

**OWNER ASKS RECEIVER FOR RENT COLLECTION**  
New Scheme for Reaching Tenants Who Appeal From Possession. Writes Offered in Court.

A novel scheme of getting rid of tenants who have appealed from writs of possession issued against them in the Municipal Court was suggested today to Justice Hitz in Equity Division 2, by Attorney William Henry White, in the course of his argument for the postponement of a foreclosure sale of the Knickerbocker apartments, which had been advertised for today.

The attorney asked the court to appoint a receiver for the property, who would have the authority, he claimed, to demand the payment of rent, which the owner, Mrs. Nina B. Tourner, could not collect without prejudicing her rights under the eviction proceedings.

Mr. White claimed that the court's officer could evict the tenant refusing to pay rent without reference to the appeal.

By this method, sufficient funds could be secured to take care of the interest and other charges and save a loss of the property, he said. The financial conditions now prevailing prevent any refinancing at this time, declared the lawyer, but after the new year has started the money market may be easier. He asked that the sale be deferred. Justice Hitz took the matter under advisement.

Mrs. Tourner in her suit also asks an injunction against certain tenants, whom she accused of a conspiracy to prevent her selling the property under the co-operative plan. She declares these tenants have appealed from writs of possession, are paying no rent and are discouraging prospective tenants seeking to buy apartments in the building. She asks the court to prohibit the interference and to require the tenants to vacate.

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## HEINZ VINEGAR IMPROVES

The woman who prides herself on the sort of salad dressing served on her table will find that HEINZ VINEGAR is first aid to the salad dressing. You have your choice of three kinds: White, Cider and Malt. Sold by us in pint bottles.

Per Bottle, 20c

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QUALITY  
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150 STORES

## Sanitary Butter, per lb. 62c

Pay more if you like, but once you try this fine FRESH CREAMERY Butter, you'll realize that it isn't necessary. We could ask more for this butter, but we don't know where we could get better butter at any price. Test the Quality—Forget the Price. You'll then insist on SANITARY Brand.

## Sanitary's FAMOUS GREEN BAG COFFEE

Per Lb., **29c**

YOU CAN BUY IT ONLY AT OUR STORES

## Washington Flour

The Christmas baking time is at hand. We are ready for you with continued low prices on this popular "all-purpose" flour.

6-lb. bag . . 38c

12-lb. bag . . 70c

24-lb. bag . . \$1.40

## NUT-MARIGOLD MARGARINE

This Well Known Brand Offered at a Remarkably Low Price.

ONE POUND . . 28c

TWO (2) LBS. for . 55c

FIVE (5) LBS. for \$1.35

Compound Vegetable Shortening Per Lb. . . 15c

One-Pound Carton PURE LARD 23c

## CORBY BREAD

Large Loaf . . . 15c

Small Loaf . . . 8c

Corby's Fruit Cake. Compare it with none but the very best. One pound for 70c. TWO (2) lb. cake for . . \$1.35

## STORAGE EGGS, per doz. 69c

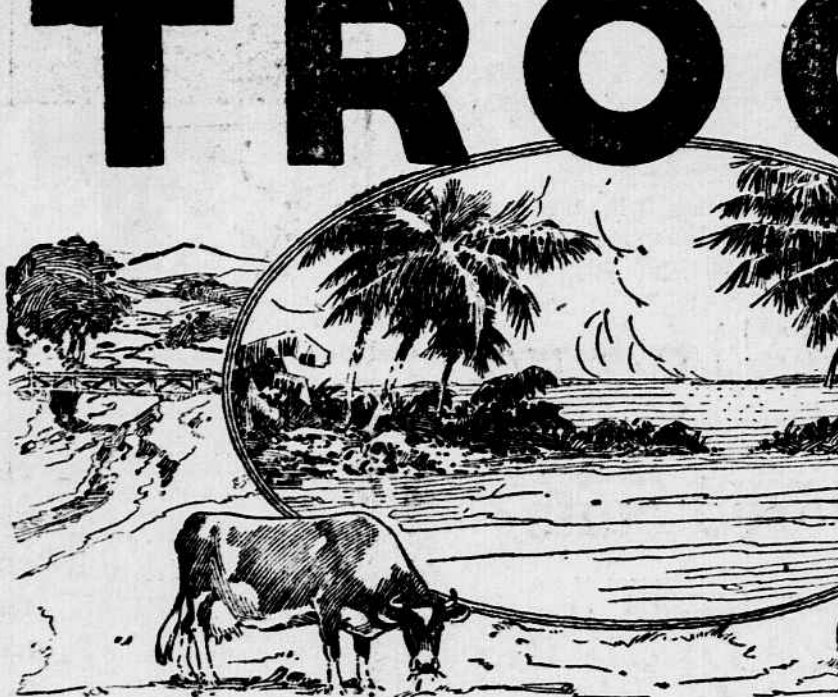
POTATOES One Peck . . . 39c

Half Peck . . . 20c

1/4 Peck . . . 10c

## GRANULATED SUGAR--- Per Lb. . . 10c

## TROCO



## Our Exclusive Process Gives Troco Its Delicious Flavor

Solves the Butter Problem

Troco is not merely a butter substitute; it is the successor to butter. It tastes like creamery butter and is as digestible, with the same high nutritive value. Troco solves the butter problem for critical users who say that rarely is any product so sweet and delicate.

Coconuts and Milk

Troco is made from the white meat of coconuts, churned with pasteurized milk by an exclusive process which gives the delicate Troco flavor.

## TROCO PRICE REDUCED--- 32c

Per Lb. . . . .

## Our Advertisements Should Be Pleasant Reading for All Grocery Buyers

Good news of lower retail prices appear in this advertisement, and to one familiar with market conditions it must be readily apparent that the consuming public in Washington and suburbs are getting immediate advantage of price "slumps" in the primary markets. Due to the quick turnover in our stocks we are enabled to take reasonably prompt advantage of market declines and thus in turn pass this advantage quickly on to you.

The grocery-buying public have relied very largely on this company to secure the utmost in low prices consistent with good business principles and we shall continue in the future as we have in the past to endeavor to merit the large patronage accorded to each one of our ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY (150) stores located in Washington and immediate suburbs.

Saturday continues to be a busy day in our stores; may we respectfully suggest, to those who can conveniently buy on that day, that Friday will find us less rushed and crowded, hence in a better position to give you the sort of attention you desire and like.

## A FINE, BIG FLORIDA GRAPEFRUIT FOR A DIME

One-half of this grapefruit served on your table for a NICKEL. Surely all lovers of this delicious fruit can now satisfy their taste to the fullest extent.

## APPLES Fancy Western Stock. Per Quarter Peck, 20c

Silver Lake Pumpkin, can . . 12 1/2c

Burt Olney's Pumpkin, can . . 17c

Me'sa Sweet Potatoes, can 19c

Silver Floss Sauer Kraut . . 15c

## Chocolate Creams An excellent quality per pound. 39c

## Chocolate Bars, etc.

A varied assortment of well known goods. An excellent thing to include in the children's or the grown-ups' lunch package.

One Piece for . . . 5c

Two Pieces for . . . 9c

6 for . . . 25c

Assort as you choose from our varied assortment.

## Satin Pure Sugar Candies

The kind so popular last year.

Mint Nibs, per lb. . . 39c

Buttercups, per lb. . . 39c

## Walter Baker's Goods

Cocoa, 1/2-lb. tin for . . 25c

Chocolate, 1/2-lb. tin for . 23c

Det Sweet, 1/2-lb. for . . 25c

## FIGS Layer, Per Lb 30c

## JOS. PHILLIPS' ORIGINAL All-Pork Sausage

Famed for its delicious flavor, due altogether to the seasoning used in its manufacture, and which seasoning is personally made by Jos. Phillips. See that the name JOS. PHILLIPS' ORIGINAL appears on the wrapper if you want this famous product.

## DORSCH'S LARGE LOAF

(Average net weight, 22 ounces)

Per Loaf Bakery Wrapped . . . **14c**

Now that the great public desire for lower bread prices has been met, we call your attention to this large loaf made by Dorsch, one of the best values in our entire stock. Bakery wrapped bread keeps in good condition for at least two days; you needn't worry over wasted bread.

## Helping Out the Orange Grower by a Unique Departure From Ordinary Marketing Methods

About ten days ago we were approached by an orange grower from Florida, who had on track a carload of oranges shipped in bulk in the car. He wanted us to market the product through our stores, explaining that it was impossible for him to market without loss, the crop from his groves in the usual manner, on account of the extremely high cost of brushing, sorting, grading and boxing, stating that by marketing in bulk he could save at least one dollar per box. We sold his first car quickly, and arranged for further shipments.

## Two More Cars Have Arrived and Have Been Distributed to Our Stores

All sizes are shipped. No grading, no brushing, no sorting. All shipped in the cars as they come from the trees, but all are fine, juicy oranges and will give the best of satisfaction.

## We Have Separated These Oranges Into Two Lots and You'll Appreciate the Values When You See the Goods

Lot No. 1--- All Larger Sizes, Per Doz. . . . **35c**

Lot No. 2--- All Smaller Sizes, Per Doz. . . . **25c**

## ALL BACON REDUCED

All brands of fancy sliced bacon sold in our stores has been reduced in price. These figures are TEN CENTS per pound lower than prevailed a short time ago. These various brands of fancy bacon represent the very finest in quality, and, everything considered, are really economical.

One Half Pound in Envelope for . . . . . 25c

One Pound in Carton for . . . . . 50c

## JELKE GOOD LUCK HAS BEEN REDUCED IN PRICE

Now Sells in All Our Stores, at, per lb. . . . . **35c**

## Ceresota Flour

Test the Northwestern Milling Company's claim that it is

THE PRIZE BREAD FLOUR OF THE WORLD.

With reduced prices, many housewives are again using flour liberally, and many a table is again found with fine homemade bread, rolls and the other home-baked products so pleasing to the entire family.

Try this wonderfully good Ceresota Flour; it's your flour guarantee of baking success.

5-Lb. Trial Size. **35c**

12-Lb. Bag . . . **73c**

24-Lb. Bag . . **1.45**

## CLEAN-EASY SOAP

Now Sells in All Our Stores at a Low Price

Per Cake . . . **5c**

## ASPARAGUS

This excellent California product is now in stock, and you can enjoy the very finest at a price that is comparatively moderate. Serve this delicious canned asparagus and delight the whole family.

No. 1 square can MISSION BRAND (contains about 81 to 100 pieces, tips), green. Per can. **38c**

No. 1 square can DEL MONTE BRAND (contains about 61 to 80 pieces, tips), green. Per tin. **39c**

No. 1 picnic can DEL MONTE BRAND (contains about 15 to 20 pieces, large tips), green. Per can. **33c**

If you want something fine try the round can.

No. 2 1/2 round can DEL MONTE BRAND (contains about 22 to 29 long pieces of fine large asparagus). Per can. **41c**

Other brands at lower prices.



## GOLD MEDAL BUCKWHEAT FLOUR